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AND POLLUTION PREVENTION

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Subject: Revised Storage & Disposal Statements for Non-Refillable Containers  
GROTAN  
EPA Reg. No. 365-76  
Amendment Letter dated November 6, 2013

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), Section 3(c)(5), is acceptable.

A stamped copy of your labeling is enclosed for your records. This labeling supersedes all previously accepted labeling. The next label printing of this product must use this labeling unless subsequent changes have been approved. You must submit one (1) copy of the final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment with the new labeling. In accordance with 40 CFR 152.130(c), you may distribute or sell this product under the previously approved labeling for 18 months from the date of this letter. After 18 months, you may only distribute or sell this product if it bears this new revised labeling or subsequently approved labeling. "To distribute or sell" is defined under FIFRA section 2(gg) and its implementing regulation at 40 CFR 152.3.

A stamped copy of the accepted labeling is enclosed. Submit three copies of your final printed labeling to the Agency before distributing or selling the product bearing the revised labeling.

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Elizabeth Watkins at (703) 346-0241.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Marshall Swindell".

Marshall Swindell  
Product Manager (33)  
Regulatory Management Branch 1  
Antimicrobials Division (7510P)

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# GROTAN

Bactericide for the Preservation of Adhesives, Construction products-Cementitious and Polymeric Admixtures, Drilling additives, Metal Cutting Fluids and Coolants, Joint Cements, Resin Emulsions and Pigment Dispersions for Non-Paint Use.

## MASTER LABEL

Sub-label A: MWF Fluid, Material Preservative Use, Non-refillable containers > 1 gallon

Sub-label B: Drilling Additive Use, Non-refillable containers > 1 gallon

Sub-Label C: Fuel Additive Use, Non-refillable containers > 1 gallon

Sub-Label D: Bulk Container/Refillable Container Use

Sub-Label E: Non-refillable containers - 1gallon

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<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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## DANGER

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See Side Panel for Additional Precautionary Statements

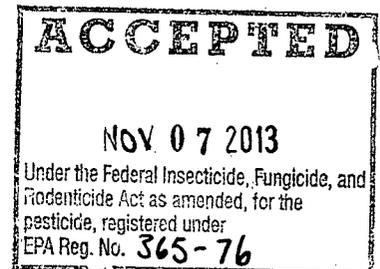
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**GROTAN  
SUB-LABEL A  
METALWORKING FLUIDS/MATERIAL PRESERVATIVE USE**

4/23

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**GROTAN  
SUB-LABEL B  
DRILLING ADDITIVE USE**

8/23

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Bactericide for Drilling Additives

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### Oilfield Systems

For controlling aerobic slime-forming bacteria (*Pseudomonas sp.*) or iron-oxidizing bacteria (*Gallionella sp.*) and anaerobic sulfate-reducing bacteria (*Desulfovibrio desulfuricans*) in oilfield water systems, such as subsurface injection water, add 5-150 ppm Grotan depending on the severity of the contamination. Additions should be made with a metering pump at the free water knockouts before or after the injection pumps and injection well headers.

Continuous-feed method: If this system is noticeably fouled, add 20-150 ppm Grotan (1.7-12.8 gal per 2000 barrels of water) continuously until the desired degree of control is achieved. Subsequently, treat with 5-150 ppm Grotan (0.43-12.8 gal. per 2000 barrels of water) continuously as needed for control.

Intermittent or slug method: If the system is noticeably fouled or to maintain control of the system, add 20-150 ppm Grotan (1.7-12.8 gal. per 2000 barrels of water) intermittently for 2-8 hours per day on from 1-4 days per week, depending on the severity of the contamination.

### Preserving Drilling Muds and Workover and Completion Fluids

Determine the volume of Grotan necessary to provide a concentration of 500-1000 ppm by weight of Grotan in the drilling mud system, workover and completion fluid. For example, 21-42 gallons of Grotan per each 1000 barrels of drilling mud provides this concentration. As the system circulates, add Grotan in a thin stream. Add additional Grotan to the system to maintain the proper concentration as the total volume of the system increases.

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**GROTAN  
SUB-LABEL C  
FUEL ADDITIVE USE**

13/23

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**BACTERIAL CONTROL ASSOCIATED WITH FREE AND DISPERSED WATER COMMONLY FOUND IN FUEL SYSTEMS:**

Add this product to fuel tanks to control microbial growth in diesel oil, fuel oil, gasoline or kerosene fuel systems. Treatment may be achieved by slug dosing or intermittent metering to provide the proper concentration of this product.

If the volume of water is known, add 0.5-1.5 gallons of this product to each 1,000 gallons of water to achieve concentrations of 500-1000 ppm in the water phase. If the volume of water is unknown add 20 ounces-1 gallon of this product to each 1000 gallons of fuel to achieve concentrations ranging between 150-1000 ppm.

Concentrations of 150-500 ppm of Grotan are appropriate for preventive treatment.

Concentrations of 1000-1500 ppm are appropriate for curative treatment. Since microbes tend to grow within biofilm communities, two or more curative treatments introduced at one-two day intervals may be required to treat heavily contaminated fuel tanks successfully. Since this product is not particularly hydrocarbon soluble there is no adverse effect if some excess accumulates in tank bottoms. It will function as a corrosion inhibitor at higher concentrations.

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**GROTAN  
SUB-LABEL D  
METALWORKING FLUIDS/MATERIAL PRESERVATIVE USE  
Bulk/Refillable Container Use  
(40-45,000 lb. Semi-containers)**

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**[NOTE TO REVIEWER:** Container handling instructions are not required for transport vehicles by 40CFR 156.140(e) and 156.144(g)]

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METALWORKING FLUIDS/MATERIAL PRESERVATIVE USE  
Non-Refillable 1 gallon Container Use**

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**CONTAINER HANDLING:** Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Clean container promptly after emptying. Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank. Fill the container ¼ full with water and recap. Shake for 10 seconds. Pour rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Repeat this procedure two more times. Then offer for recycling or reconditioning if available, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.